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BADC Buys Land for Skiway Growth

The Bethel Area Development Corporation has recently taken title to approximately twenty-five acres of timberland adjoining the property of the Sunday River Skiway in the Town of Newry according to an announcement made this week by Howard W. Cole, President of the local development group.

Mr. Cole stated that the land was acquired to provide for immediate protection against encroachment and the future expansion of the Skiway. Shortly after the transfer of title, the B. A. D. C. gave the Skiway

Corporation an option to purchase the land at any time during the next five years at its actual cost plus carrying charges. Thus, he explained, the Skiway will have available, when needed, land for additional parking facilities and building lots for private ski lodges without the danger of artificial inflation of values.

It is expected, Mr. Cole added, that the growth in the popularity of the Skiway during the next two or three winter seasons will result in its exercising the option in much less than the five years stipulated in the agreement.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

A request has been received from the Maine Civil War Centennial Commission for information on the erection and dedication of the Soldier's Monument, also a picture. A book is being prepared by the Commission covering Civil War monuments in Maine, which will contain information of historical interest. An article and picture will be submitted to the Commission to be included in the book. There is a fine article in the June 4, 1908 issue of The Bethel Citizen covering the dedication of the monument. The sum of \$1,000 was appropriated at the March 1907 town meeting, and another \$500 appropriated at the March 1908 town meeting to pay the balance due on the erecting of the monument. Information on the actual erection of the monument has been scanty. If any person has information it will be appreciated if they will contact the Town Office so that it may be included in the article that is to be forwarded to the Commission.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

SUNDAY RIVER SKI CLUB TO MEET

The Sunday River Ski Club will hold its first full meeting this coming Tuesday, Nov. 29, in William Bingham Gymnasium at 7:30 p. m. At this time election of officers will be held and plans made for the activities of the coming season. It is hoped that a ski movie will be shown. All skiers in the area who would like to participate in an active ski program are urged to attend.

LOCAL BOY SCOUT FUND DRIVE EXCEEDS QUOTA

The annual Boy Scout Fund drive was a big success here in Bethel, reports Richard Waldron, chairman of the local drive. The total amount collected amounted to \$281.85, thus exceeding the town quota by \$31.85. Chairman Waldron would like to take this opportunity to express his sincere thanks to each and everyone who had a share in this successful venture. His special thanks go to the solicitors who so willingly gave their time to help out in this cause.

MISS BROWN HONORED AT PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Saturday afternoon, Nov. 19, Anne Brown was honored at a pre-nuptial shower at the home of Pamela Young. Present besides the honored guest and hostess were Lorenda Freeman, Nikki McMillin, Mary Willard, Mrs. Jo Ann Chrissi, Mrs. Sharon Benson, and Carol Keoskie. Invited but unable to attend were Mary Jo Head and Mrs. Patricia Saunders.

Several people from Bethel attended a housewarming on Sunday for Mrs. Esther Williamson at her new home at Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown and family, Ashland, are spending the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herrick and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

Next meeting of the Bethel Jaycees will be Monday, Nov. 28 at 7:30 in the Fire Station. Guest speaker will be Col. Lowell Henley, Assistant State Director of Civil Defense.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert York and family of Brownville and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowden and family of Millbury, Mass. are expected on Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week at the home of Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis entertained at a family gathering on Sunday in honor of the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston at their home including Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard visited Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Hathaway, Andover, Mass. Saturday and Sunday. A Sunday family gathering at the Hathaway home included: Miss Joan Hathaway, Lincoln, Mass.; Mrs. Ruby Davidson, South Ryegate, Vt.; Ruth Willard, Sargent College; David Willard, Tufts Medical School; and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bennett, Scarborough.

ROBERT BEANS FETED AT THEIR HOME ON GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Bean were honored Saturday by many relatives and friends in observance of their fiftieth wedding anniversary which occurred on Nov. 16. The couple were presented a corsage and boutonniere by Mrs. Grace Coburn. The celebration featured a two-tiered anniversary cake, made by their daughter, Mrs. Frances Gunther, and flowers from Mrs. Bean's sister, Mrs. Jane Lomastro of Rhode Island, Dr. and Mrs. Milan Chapin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapin. Gifts also included a money tree.

Those attending included Mrs. Grace Coburn, Mrs. Shirley Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hutchins and Jill, Mrs. Robert Mills, Carlene, Randy, Bonnie and Roxanne, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kendall, Mrs. Ruth Padewski, Bryce and Elaine, Stanley Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Mason, Donna and Eddie, Jr., Mrs. Frances Gunther, Mrs. David Prince, Lisa and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. John Gunther, Mrs. Ernestine McDonald, Edward McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Tripp, Peter Baker, Mrs. Winifred Scott, Dr. and Mrs. William Carey, Mary, Robert, Thomas and William, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapin, Nancy, Cindy and Mary Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Young, Jr., Ricky and Kathy.

OFFICIALS MAKE PLEA FOR HOLIDAY HIGHWAY SAFETY

Governor John H. Reed and Col. Robert Marx today urged Maine motorists and pedestrians to make safety on the highways a prime consideration during this coming holiday weekend.

"Highway safety is not something to be practiced only during holiday week ends," said Governor Reed. "Rather, it should be a 'way of life' for all of us every day of the year. However, the extra hazards of the holiday season call for additional caution on the part of every driver and every pedestrian."

Pointing out that Maine's traffic death record has already exceeded the low mark of 136 established for the entire 12 months last year, the Governor added:

"We must not forget that 205 persons were killed in Maine traffic crashes during 1958. This is tragic proof that 'it can happen here.' You and I, however, can do much to keep this year's total well below that 1958 figure by accepting our responsibilities in traffic. This coming weekend—traditionally a time when family members gather from far and wide—is an excellent time for each of us to make a firm resolve to do more than his share to prevent traffic tragedies."

Col. Marx joined Governor Reed in a plea for extra caution.

"We shall have every available man on traffic patrol and we shall make every effort to keep traffic moving smoothly and safely. Cautious, patient, sober driving and the observance of common sense pedestrian practices will help us to make this a safe week end."

Miss Nikki McMillin was in Waterville, Wednesday, for an interview at Colby College.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Cummings and two sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Saucier in Portland on Monday.

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To Hold Hearings on River Control

Public hearings on the Androscoggin River basin for flood control and allied purposes will be held in the auditorium of Berlin, N. H., City Hall on Dec. 13 at 10 a. m., and in the Court Room, Lewiston City Hall on Dec. 14 at 10 a. m.

The hearings will be held by the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors to review previous reports with a view to determining the desirability of modifying previous recommendations and advisability of adopting further improvements.

All interested parties are invited to be present or represented at one of the hearings, including representatives of Federal, State, County, and Municipal agencies, and those of commercial, industrial, civic, highway, railroad and flood control interests, and property owners concerned. They will be afforded full opportunity to express their views concerning the character and extent of the improvement desired and the need and advisability of its execution.

OXFORD COUNTY WOMEN OF EXTENSION PLAN FOR 1961

The officers and past presidents of Oxford County Women of Extension met with Mrs. Ruth C. DeCoteau, Home Demonstration Agent, at the home of Mrs. Archie Purkis in Buckfield, recently.

Plans for a representative from this organization to meet with the officers and project leaders at program planning Training Classes was decided upon. Since the National Home Demonstration Council will meet in Maine in August 1961 plans for this were discussed.

The officers for this organization are Co-chairmen, Mrs. Lester Averill of Dixfield and Mrs. Nestor Tammingen of Greenwood; Vice Chairman, Mrs. Alphonse Dorion of Rumford; Secretary, Mrs. Lee Swan of East Bethel and Treasurer, Mrs. Irma Fuller of Buckfield.

NEW BOOKS AT THE BETHEL LIBRARY

Adults:
Folk Medicine (a gift), by D. C. Jarvis.

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The Nightingale, by Agnes Turnbull.

A Dream of Fugi, by Arthemio Goertz.

Young People:

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Oral statements will be heard, but for accuracy of the record all important facts and arguments should be submitted in writing, in quadruplicate (original and three carbon copies), as the records of the hearing will be forwarded for consideration by the Secretary of the Army. Written statements may be handed to the Hearing Officer at the hearing or mailed to Seymour A. Potter, Jr., Colonel, Corps of Engineers, Division Engineer, 424 Trapelo Road, Waltham 54, Mass.

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION GROUP TO START

For anyone interested in joining a Great Books discussion group there will be a meeting at the Bethel Library Dec. 1, at 8 p. m.

The group meets every other week after having read at home the same reading chosen by the Great Books Foundation. Each selection is the basis for that week's discussion. All discussion is based on the text not on outside reading.

The discussion and ideas derived from reading the classics are the purposes of the group.

Those attending this meeting should read the Declaration of Independence.

ANDOVER-BETHEL MAN IN ANTARCTICA ON OPERATION DEEP FREEZE

Following a 2,200 air-mile flight from Christchurch, New Zealand, Thomas H. Dunn, aviation electrician's mate second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn of Andover, and husband of Mrs. Patricia Kittredge Dunn of Bethel, arrived Nov. 3, in the Antarctic to participate in the Navy's 1961 Operation Deep Freeze.

He is assigned to Air Development Squadron Six attached to the Antarctica Naval Support Force at the Naval Air Facility, McMurdo Sound.

The squadron provides air support for the U. S. scientific studies in the Antarctic Research Program under grants from the National Science Foundation.

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The Week in Oxford County

John Foley, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Foley of Rumford was awarded the Eagle Award, highest award in Scouting at a Court of Honor held at the Virginia School last Thursday evening.

H. Blaine Sanborn of Norway, vice president of Sanborn's Motor Express and president of the Maine Truck Owners Association, was critically injured when struck in the

head Sunday by an airplane propeller. The accident occurred in Portland when Mr. Sanborn was turning the propeller by hand on his airplane. He was working on the engine of the craft.

Harry J. Buncke, vice president of engineering of the Oxford Paper Co. will retire Dec. 1. He has been connected with the paper industry 43 years, 27 years of which have been with Oxford.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres.—The Union School put on its yearly program Thursday evening, Nov. 17, with a capacity house. The program was as follows: Welcome Everybody, sang by Frank Packard, Gregory MacKillop, Sonny Foster, Wayne Howe, Scot Howe; Play, the Wishing Gate, the Third Grade; Polka (a dance), Frank Packard, Betty Gaugler, Arvid Rosenberg, Anna Noyes; Piano solo, Linda Hathaway; Rec., The Turkey's Opinion, Klaus Smith; Song (Clip, Clop), the Third Grade; Rec., (Growing Up), Wayward Taylor; Tap (Chicken Reel), Arvid Rosenberg, Eleanor Andrews, Kenneth Remsen and Anna Noyes; Illustrated Song (The Harvest is Gathered), group of boys in Third Grade; Monologue (Entertaining Sister's Caller), Wayne Howe; Song, Pop Corn, by Wayne Howe, Amy Day, Betty Gaugler, Scot Howe, Sonny Foster, Frank Packard and Dwight York; Rec., (A Thankful Goodbye), Francina Herrick; Song (The Lullaby Lady), Linda Hathaway, Wayne Howe, Amy Day, Betty Gaugler, Francina Herrick, Scot Howe, Dwight York; Solo (Beautiful Ohio), Rose Cushman, Sixth Grade; Play (Thanksgiving in Song), Sixth Grade.

The announcer for the evening was Dwight York. Mrs. Blanche Blake, the music instructor, played for the program. Mrs. Carolyn Baker is the sixth grade teacher and Olive Davis, the third.

Candy and popcorn were on sale during the evening by the room mothers, Mrs. Gaugler and Mrs. Thurlow. While Esther Davis assisted by taking the money and tickets at the door.

The teachers and pupils would like to thank all who so kindly helped them in any way towards making this a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis attended the funeral of Mrs. Mabel Dunham at Locke Mills, Sunday.

Those getting deer so far as is known in this part of the town are Lenwood Andrews,



Miss Rita Salls, formerly of Locke Mills, who is on a year's furlough from her work as missionary in French West Africa. A graduate of Gould Academy and Gordon College, she has served in Africa the past 15 years. She will go to Switzerland for three months study in French before returning to her duties.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews and family will be at Buckfield with Mrs. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Halleck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis expect to go to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cushman's in Augusta with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant and Danny Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Hendrickson and family are entertaining the descendants of the Littlehale family at the South Woodstock Union Church. It is expected that about 45 or 50 will be present.

The following expect to be entertained at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean's at Hungry Hollow: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurlow, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thurlow and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wilday, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Verrill will entertain their daughters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Erland Blood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Moore and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Verrill and children will go to Mrs. Verrill's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Grover, in Watford.

Dorcas Club worked on tacking quilts Sunday at Mrs. Kenneth Benson's. They have made several for the needy this year.

Mrs. Alton Verrill and Mrs. Eva Blainey went to North Leeds where they visited Lotie Jordan who is in the Hammon nursing home. Mrs. Jor-

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.—Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates and children have moved into their new home although it is not completed yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willette of Rumford and her sister called at R. M. Fleet's, Sunday.

Roy Bennett and Roland Fleet have completed putting up snow fence.

Mrs. Marion Kimball and Mrs. Julia Fleet attended the shower given Mrs. Norman Davis by the Extension Group Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Davis.

Dr. Lowell E. Barnes got a real large bear. Woods dressed it was estimated to weigh over 400 pounds. The skin alone weight 100 pounds.

The Sunday River Sunday School will have two more meetings, Dec. 4 and 18. Our tree and Christmas party also will be the 18th.

Phil Daye of Bethel was in town hunting recently. H. Stevens and son of North Paris were in town hunting, Saturday.

Douglas Irish and friend were callers at Bryce Yates on Saturday.

dan is a niece of the family. Rev. Alton Verrill and Beverly Hatch have been ill with very bad colds. They are better at this time.

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Juddins, Cor.—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lombard visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Garey and children at Sunday River, Saturday, Nov. 19.

Miss Lucille Lavallee and friend of Massachusetts were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lavallee.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel DeGrasse of Sebago Lake stayed a few days last week at their camp on Back St., and visited friends in town while they were here.

Gould Academy students were home over the week end. They will be home Wednesday night this week for the long holiday week end.

Edward Morse of Wells called at the home of his cousin, C. A. Juddins, one day last week.

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Mrs. Doris Poulin of Rumford visited her daughter, Mrs. Alice Harvey, a day and night last week.

The Ladies Club met at Mrs. Dorothy Brink's home last Wednesday.

Miss Kathy Harvey was home over the week end from Rumford where she is attending school.

Officers were installed at the Grange meeting at the Wilson's Mills town hall, Friday evening.

Mrs. Alice Cameron is staying with her son, Milton, in one of Gordon Bragg's cabins. She will return to her position at the University of Maine next week and Milton has to return to Greenland for a stay of about two weeks.

Elliott Bragg of Somerville, Mass., is visiting his nephew, Gordon Bragg.

Fred Bennett is no better in health at the Stewartstown Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Linnell have gone to Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Bertha West is employed at Leon Bennett's.

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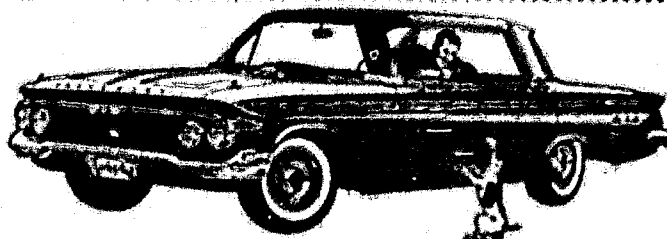
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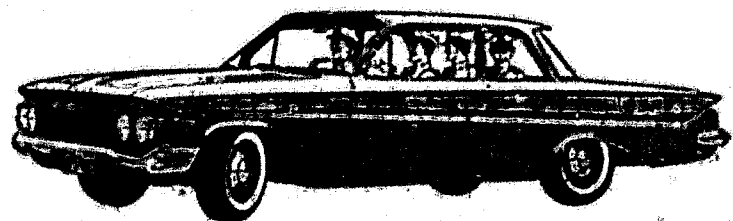
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Western Maine Concert Festival

Saturday evening, Nov. 19, in Lisbon, the annual Western Maine Concert Festival took place. Several Gould Academy students participated along with more than 400 students from other schools. Elizabeth Waldron, Linda Paine, and Sue Hathaway were in the chorus; James Bennett, in the orchestra; and Mary Jo Head, Sharon Cole, Julia Brown, Richard Jacobs and Norma Kimball, in the band. The orchestra was conducted by Robert Conley, of Weston, Mass.; the band by Ralph Schoonmaker, Medford, Mass., and the chorus by Gerard Chamberlain of Gorham State Teachers' College.

Coffee at Headmaster's Home

On Sunday evening, Nov. 20, a coffee was held at the home of Headmaster and Mrs. Edmund J. Vachon for faculty members at the Primary School, Crescent Park School, and those of Gould Academy. Guests attending were: Superintendent and Mrs. Eric Sahlberg, Principal and Mrs. Charles Heino, Principal Ethel Bisbee, Submaster and Mrs. Vance Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry, Miss Alice Ballard, Miss Yvette Bourassa, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Lord, Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Mrs. Hazel Wheeler, Mrs. Ruth C. Hastings, Mrs. Libbie Kneeland, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowhay, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Miss Helen Varner, Mr. and Mrs. Orrell Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. James Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Twitchell, Miss Fran Minot, Mrs. Eleanor Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Burgess, Mrs. Doris Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Edith Epper, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jacobs, Theodore Emery, Miss Joan Hall, Miss Alice Duffy, Miss Verna Swift, Mrs. Madeline Gibbs, Mrs. Vera Waterhouse, Miss Beulah McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. James Ring, Miss Nellie MacDougall and Miss Dorothy Boyce.

First Nine-Week Honor Roll

Seniors: Honors—Gloria Duran, Linda Hatch, Ann Ordway. Certificate—James Bennett, Dixie Lea Brown, Linda Brown, William Call, Freda Gammon, John Kelley, Louise Kennedy, Phyllis Kimball, Arthur Lincoln, Louise Lincoln, Helen Miller, Meredith Ring, Marcia Savage, Gloria Williams, Pamela Young.

Juniors: Honors—Margaret Davis. Certificate—Nancy Cole, Margery Dallinger, Ira Hubbard, Ralph Merriam, Jeffrey Rutherford, William Stowell, Elizabeth Vinton.

Sophomores: Honors—George Epper, Brian McCrodden, Kathleen Towne. Certificate—Melanie Bernier, Mary Ann Chase, David Miller, Judith Myers, Ileen Powers.

Freshmen: Certificate—Sandra Duran, Paul Imhof.

CARD OF THANKS

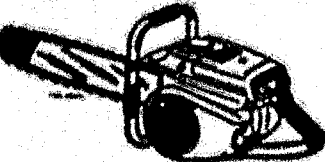
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WOODSTOCK HIGH

Principal John H. Hall has released the Honor Roll for the first ranking period at Woodstock High School as follows:

Seniors: All A's—Linda Waterhouse, Patricia Davis. All A's and B's—Marianne Chase, Madelyn Coolidge, Sylvia Cushman, Carmen Martin, Curt Martin.

Juniors: All A's and B's—Carolee Porter.

Sophomores: All A's and B's—Joyce Burnham, Katherine Mills, Hilda Vittum.

Freshmen: All A's—Annie Cross, Belinda Emmons. All A's and B's—Sandra Buck, Eileen Dunham, Noreen Swan.

Eighth Grade: All A's—Dianne Farrar, Paul MacKillop, Jane Wardwell, Donald Whitman. All A's and B's—Jackson Andrews, Sally Brooks, Patricia McInnis, Alan Twitchell, Jean Wardwell, Clifford York.

Seventh Grade: All A's—Brian Buck, Richard Vittum. All A's and B's—Louise Billings, Shirley Buck, Shirley Morgan, Donna Poland.

The Friday Assembly at Woodstock High School was an Award Day. The members of the Student Council received membership cards and pins. This year the Woodstock High School Student Council is a member of the National Association of Student Councils. Also announcement was made of those who have gained admission in to the National Honor Society.

POLICE URGE MOTORISTS TO BE CAUTIOUS AFTER FIRST SNOWFALL

"Each year, the season's first real snowfall brings a marked increase in the number of accident reports," the State Police report.

The enforcement group pointed out that reports of automobile crashes on the day of this first storm frequently total more than three times the normal number for a single day.

"It is essential that drivers readjust driving habits to meet winter driving conditions," they continued. "Reduced visibility and inadequate traction are 'treacherous twins' of the winter season. All of us know this, but each year many drivers fail to compensate for these added dangers until after they have learned the hard way by becoming involved in a crash."

The police cautioned drivers to be on the alert and to recognize the necessity of adjusting their driving before they become involved in an accident.

"Winter driving conditions—poor visibility and slippery road surfaces—make it imperative that we reduce speed and allow more distance between cars if we are to avoid the two leading causes of accidents during these early winter storms, namely: following too closely and inability to stop in time."

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres.

Franklin Grange met Saturday night at their Hall. Past Master Harris Hathaway assisted by Mrs. Lettie Brooks and Mrs. Alice Hoyt as Marshal and Emblem Bearer, installed Carl Brooks as Lecturer; Lloyd Davis as Steward and Kenneth Hoyt as A. Steward. Worthy Master appointed Carl Brooks, Lloyd Davis and Kenneth Hoyt as Finance Committee. Resolution Committee on the death of Sister Mabel Dunham appointed was Mrs. Edith Hathaway, Mrs. Beatrice Farnum and Mrs. Lettie Brooks. The Charter was draped in loving memory of Mrs. Dunham by the Chaplain. The following program was presented by Lecturer Carl Brooks: Song by Grange; Reading, "The First Thanksgiving" by Mrs. Edith Abbott; "Thanksgiving Poem," read by Mrs. Beatrice Farnum; Roll Call, "What I Am Thankful For"; Thanksgiving Quiz; Guessing Game on "Nuts." As this was the birthday of Past Master Verna Swan, she was presented a gift from the Grange and a beautifully decorated birthday cake made by Mrs. Olive Davis. Refreshments of doughnuts and cider were served after the meeting by Harris Hathaway, Carl Brooks and Lloyd Davis. It is planned to have speaker at the next meeting, Dec. 3, who will be announced later.

The Woodstock Extension Association held a meeting on "Citizenship" Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edith Abbott with 14 women present. The report of the Nominating Committee was read by Lois Day and the following officers were elected: Chairman, Cleo Billings; Secretary and Treasurer, Edith Abbott; Foods Leader, Annie Crockett; Assistant, Mildred York; Clothing Leader, Alberta Harlow; Assistant, Harriet Farrington; Home Management and Crafts, Lois Day; Assistant, Hazel Brooks. The place and date of the Planning Meeting will be announced later. Mrs. Bessie Mann, South Paris, former member of the Maine Legislature was present as speaker and gave a very interesting and informative talk on Legislation.

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tive procedure and the duties of State, County and local officers. She also answered questions from members. Refreshments were served after the meetings.

The Jolly Worker's 4-H Club met Nov. 16, at the home of Mrs. Peter Rosenberg, with all except one member present. The President, Kathy Twitchell, conducted the meeting. The flag salute was given. The secretary, Beldinda Emmons, and treasurer, Alan Twitchell, gave very good reports, which were accepted. We voted to send a Christmas box filled with toys and other gifts to Pineland. All members are urged to bring their gifts to the next meeting. Also all members are to bring a Demonstration to the next meeting, which will be held at the home of the Leader, Mary Emmons, Dec. 7, at 7:00 p. m. —Joyce Burnham, Club Reporter.

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BETHEL, MAINE

Thanksgiving In Bethel

Mrs. Alice Tripp will spend Thanksgiving Day with her son, Roy Tripp, in Newry.

Nelson Durgin, Bangor, will be a holiday guest at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barker's, Mayville.

The Misses Methel and Ida Packard will spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Perley Tripp, Saco.

The Misses Ruth Willard and Ann Carter arrived Tuesday night from Sargent College for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown and family will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown in Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Collins and two children will be guests of Mrs. Christine Collins in Wilton on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurice Morrill, Freeport, will be dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Saucier and daughters, Portland, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster, Thursday.

Miss Nancy Willard, physical education instructor, Peru, N. Y., arrived Wednesday for the holiday week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings, Larry and Paul, will be Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Una Stearns in Hanover.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cross and family will be guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pulkkinen in West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Knight, Lewiston, will be dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McKenna and family, Rumford Point, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garber, Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. William Robertson, Mitchell, Brenda, Chris and Matthew, will be Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patten in Norway.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Young, Sr., will be Mr. and Mrs. Ted Young and daughter, South Berwick, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Young, Jr., and children.

Mrs. H. I. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters and family will join a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones in Lewiston on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean, Wayne and Harlan, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, are spending Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Casey and daughter in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown and family from Kennebunk, and Miss Carla Grover, Gorham State Teachers College, will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grover and Mrs. Mary Brown.

A family gathering will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Gorman, Thursday. Those attending will be Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buck and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Seiber from Dixfield.

A family gathering will be held at the home of Mrs. Harvey Jones, Lewiston, on Thanksgiving Day. Those planning to attend are: Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters and family, Mrs. H. I. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Robert York and family, Brownville, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowden from Millbury, Mass.

A family gathering will be held on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keosauke. Expected guests are: Mr. and Mrs. William Robertson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Robertson and son, Mrs. Edna Robertson, Mrs. Emma Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cummings and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson, and Wendell Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston and family will join a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Moxey in West Paris on Thursday. Others include Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Littlefield of Locke Mills, and Mrs. Eva Keniston, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Saunders and family will have a Thanksgiving Day guests, Edwin Hore of Wicoham, Mrs. Addie Saunders, Mrs. Emily Clement, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrar and family. Miss Susan Saunders arrived home Wednesday from the U. of M. for the holiday and week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Rogers of Laurel Springs, N. J., are spending this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul King. Gerry King arrived home from the University of New Hampshire Thursday for the rest of the week. Mr. and Mrs. King will also have as dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Leonard King of Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin, Lewiston, will be guests of Mrs. H. P. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders and family are spending the holiday and week end with Mrs. Hugh Miller at Brownville Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Paine will have as guests on Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. Laurice Morrill and Mrs. Gail Demer of Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family will entertain on Thanksgiving Mrs. Nora Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Merrill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Valentine will entertain Richard Valentine, Poquonock, Conn., and Miss Mary Valentine, Braintree, Mass., on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Brown will have as dinner guests on Thursday, Mrs. Hilda Crocker of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Millett, Sumner, Martin Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Gard Brown.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton will have as Thanksgiving Day guests Rev. and Mrs. Paul Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brooks, of Portland, Miss Helen Kennison, South Portland, Mrs. Alice Brooks of Norway.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Brewster are Pat Brewster from Wheelock College in Boston, Hartley Jordan from MIT in Boston, Mrs. Angie Locke and Mrs. Helen Noyes of South Paris.

Mrs. Abbie Brown is entertaining on Thanksgiving Day Miss Arlene Brown of West Newbury, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Blake MacKay and family.

Thanksgiving Day guests expected at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames are: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robie of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stickney and son of Lee, N. H., Ella Staats of Gorham, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis and family.

Miss Nancy Lincoln arrived home Wednesday from Thomas Junior College, Waterville, for the holiday and week end. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln and family will have as dinner guests Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKenzie of Dixfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock will entertain at a family gathering on Thanksgiving Day including Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin and sons of Falmouth Foreside, Mrs. Alma Lafayette of Portland, Leslie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Clough will entertain Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. George Bryant and son, Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Clough and daughter of Hazardville, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Rice and family.

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Continued From Page One

Mrs. Katharine Adams and Herbert Adams of Thompsonville, Conn., are spending the week visiting Mrs. Ruth Dori-on.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dargin and little daughter, Anita, of Newry, visited at the home of his aunt, Mabel Stanley, Monday.

Cub Scouts Den 4 met at the home of our leader. After refreshments we learned how to make a five pointed star and how to fold a flag. Keeper of the Buckskin, Henry Deegan.

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY EXTENSION GROUPS
The following Extension Officers have been elected for 1961:

In South Hiram—Mrs. Evelyn Day, Chairman; Secretary, Mrs. Beverly Nason; Treasurer, Flora Nason; Food Project Leader, Mrs. Amy Bachelder and Mrs. Mildred Pendexter; Home Management Leader, Mrs. Celia Holland and Mrs. Johanne Leveille.

In West Paris: Chairman, Mrs. Ethel Brown; Asst. Chairman, Mrs. Carolyn Lane; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Anna Shaw; Asst. Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Agnes Loveloy; Food Project Leader, Mrs. Rita MacDonald; Asst. to Food Leader, Miss Eleanor Porter and Mrs. Ruth Haynes; Clothing Project leader—Mrs. Irene Chapman; Assistant to Clothing leader—Mrs. Nellie Wiken and Marie Gerry; Home Management Leader, Mrs. Edythe Porter; Assistant to Home Management leader, Mrs. Phyllis McPherson and Mrs. Lena Oldham; News Reporter, Mrs. Jeanne Smith; Tour Committee, Mrs. M. J. Hazleton and Mrs. M. J. Hazleton.

GOULD ACADEMY

Headmaster Edmond J. Vachon spoke on Significant Changes in Education at the meeting of the Norway-South Paris Kiwanis Club at Norway Tuesday evening.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Cor.—Mrs. Wyam Lord from Lowell, Mass., and Mrs. Lester Allen of North Lovell called on the Wardwell families Saturday afternoon.

The directors of the World's Fair Assn. held a meeting at Roy Wardwell's on Wednesday evening. Lunch followed.

"Sonny" Ring from Freeport was a week end guest of his aunt and family, the Arthur Wardwells.

Hunters are many, deer are few in this locality. Verna Robinson, Dorothy Dunbar, Linda Dunbar, Ruth Kimball and Fred Wentworth were Sunday callers at Roy Wardwell's.

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The dinner we put on this Sunday was the first topic of conversation in our business meeting. We are deeply indebted to those who aided us in putting on this dinner and we want to offer you our sincere thanks.

We are sponsoring a dance for the fourth, fifth and sixth grades this coming Friday, November 25th. The only change is that it will be what we call a toy party, and the admission will be a toy. It does not have to be a new toy; we would like it to be some old toy which is no longer used. The dance will be from 7 to 9 p. m.

Matthew Brooks and Ralph Jackson will have the discussion this coming Sunday. Respectfully submitted, Steve Dock.

WINTER DRIVING REQUIRES GOOD VISION

"Good vision—no collision!" This was the State Police's definition today of one of the more important factors influencing safe winter driving.

"At no other time of year," said the enforcement organization, "is the driver's vision subjected to more strain than in winter. Long hours of darkness, the formation of frost on the windshield—snow, fog, rain and sleet combine to restrict the driver's vision to a point that can be deadly unless he takes proper precautions."

"Good, well-aimed headlights, a windshield wiper blade that actually cleans the glass instead of just smearing a narrow eye-slit, and an efficient defroster," added the police, "are the best self-helps that a motorist can adopt in coping with winter's 'ceiling-zero' visibility."

RECORD CHRISTMAS SALES PREDICTED BY MAGAZINE

Retail stores are expecting a record two months in pre-Christmas sales, despite recent worrisome trends in other areas of business, according to *Changings Times*, the Kiplinger Magazine.

But, according to an article in the current issue of the magazine, this year's Christmas gifts probably will be paid for when bestowled, curbing the credit practices of the immediate past.

Surveying the outlook for Christmas sale, the magazine found stores around the country report stable prices, good quality and ample supplies—and that people have money to spend. What is needed to bring the business in, the editors conclude, is a strong dose of promotion, and that is what the merchants have in mind.

As a result, the magazine predicts there will be a rush of pre-Christmas promotions—prices slashed, great buys in gifts—designed to break down shoppers' caution which has been building up in recent months.

The best buys, according to the article, will be in appliances with prices down and values good. The stores will come up with other good buys, the editors note, but there won't be any bargains in sweaters, gloves, lingerie and other apparel items. Price levels are high on these and not likely to budge for the holiday buying spree.

The magazine notes that the cloudy business weather of recent months will make people leery of running up their indebtedness, and nonpayments are on the increase, causing merchants to be reluctant to give credit too freely. The result of both reactions, the editors state, will be a lot of Christmas presents paid for in cash.

LOCAL U. OF M. FRESHMAN HOLDS SCHOLARSHIP

A total of 160 members of this year's freshman class at the University of Maine have received scholarship awards, from funds totalling \$68,350. Robert C. Worrick, director of student aid, has announced.

The average award from general funds, a total of \$45,250, amounted to \$348. From the new Experimental Scholarship Program funds, amounting to \$23,100, there were 30 awards made with the average amount of each, \$770. The 30 recipients include students from all 16 Maine counties.

Among freshmen who hold scholarships is Donald A. Angvine of Bethel.

HIGHWAY NIGHT PATROL BEGINS WATCH ALONG MOST-TRAVELED ROADS

The State Highway Commission announces that its night patrol is now in operation beginning its seventh season of keeping watch on the condition of about 1,700 miles of the State's most-traveled highways. This year the patrol extends its coverage to include two newly opened sections of Interstate highway—4 miles of expressway in Bangor from Hammond Street to Hogan Road, and the 24 miles of expressway from Augusta to Waterville and Fairfield.

The SHC's night patrol will be on the job every night throughout the winter months ready to call out plowing and sanding crews if needed. Patrolmen also carry enough sand in their trucks to cover short, icy sections in dangerous locations.

Patrols contact their division offices by radio at least once each hour reporting weather and road conditions. This information is passed on to the SHC's headquarters office in Augusta every two hours. Every day at 6 a. m. and at 10:00 p. m. a state-wide report is made available by the Augusta office to the Presque Isle, Ellsworth, Bangor, Portland and Rumford division offices.

All of this information, late reports on road conditions as well as the state-wide report, is available to news services and the general public at the above listed offices at any time of day or night. The Rumford division office telephone is 86 4-3391.

OXFORD COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS AT SOUTH PARIS

A regular meeting of the Oxford County Council, American Legion was held at the South Paris Legion Hall, Nov. 15. Seven posts in the county were represented with the Locke Mills post having the largest turnout. Post attendance was as follows: Locke Mills, 14; South Paris, 8; Norway, 3; West Paris, 3; Oxford, 4; Bethel, 1; and Buckfield, 1.

Oxford reported a membership of 56 members which is 108% of last year's membership. Oxford is the only post in Oxford County thus far to report a 100% membership.

They sponsor a Boy Scout troop at Oxford. South Paris reported a membership of 22. Their main activity is the combined Drum and Bugle Corp of Norway and Paris.

Bethel's lone man, Jim Lassiter, reported a membership of 56. They had their annual Veterans' Day Supper on Nov. 11 and also sponsored a Halloween party for the school children.

Norway reported a membership of 16 with the due cards to be mailed out shortly. They will sponsor a Thanksgiving beano.

West Paris reported 44 paid up members and a Thanksgiving beano to be held Thursday of this week.

Locke Mills reported a membership of 93. Ten dollars was turned over to John E. Howe, of Locke Mills Post, to be used for a Child Welfare case.

Commander Fred Lawrence reported that Boys State this year will start on June 8. The dues will be advanced to \$40.00 for each boy. Applications must be in possibly a month earlier than usual this year.

It was also advised that posts sending boys to Boys State should screen the boys more thoroughly. Boys State is for deserving boys who want to attend and learn more about the workings of the Government.

It is not for boys who want to go just for a good time.

Entertainment was supplied prior to the meeting by pupils from the Marcia Weeks Judkins school of the dance from Norway. Refreshments were served after the meeting by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Foster Carroll Post No. 72, of South Paris.

TODAY'S Meditation



The Upper Room
THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, November 24

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:15-25
Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18.)

An old legend tells of two angels sent to our world to collect the prayers of mankind. The first one returned loaded with petitions and complaints. The second one carried in his basket a few expressions of thanks and gratitude.

This illustrates the tendency prevailing in our world. People are more inclined to complain than to rejoice and give thanks.

We have good reasons to rejoice evermore and give thanks always, for God has bestowed upon us unspeakable gifts and bounteous blessings. We can

thank Him for all things beautiful, good, and true. We can thank Him for the light and air, and "for the eyes that see the unseen, and ears that hear the heavenly harmonies." Above all, we can rejoice and give thanks for His supreme token of love manifested in human flesh in the person of Jesus.

PRAYER: Dear Lord, we thank Thee for Thine inestimable blessings unto us. We pray that persons in all lands may humble themselves in praise and thanksgiving to Thee. We thank Thee for Thy most precious gift, Thine only begotten Son, our reconciler and redeemer. In His name we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day
We wish to thank God with our deeds.
—Wadad Matar (Lebanon)

CHURCH NEWS



Bethel Methodist Church.
Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday, Nov. 27:
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Family Worship Hour and Nursery.
6:30 p. m. Senior MYF at Parsonage. Intermediate at the Church.

Thursday, December 1:
7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.
2:00 p. m. Afternoon Circle.
8:00 p. m. Evening Circle.
Friday, Dec. 2:
7:00 p. m. All commissions meet at the church.
8:00 p. m. Monthly Official Board Meeting.

West Parish Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, Nov. 27:
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.

The Church of the Open Bible At the Universalist Church.
Carl Mores, Pastor.
Lorenda Freeman, Organist
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Church service, 11:00 a. m.
Baptismal Service at the Mexico Baptist Church, 3 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Place to be announced.

Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 9:00 in the American Legion Rooms.

The Legion of Mary will meet each Tuesday at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Harriet Flisette, Gilend.

West Bethel Union Church
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradley, Pastors
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist

Sunday School at 10:15, Mrs. Mann, Supt.

Sunday School, 9 a. m. Mrs. Olive Head, Supt.
10 a. m. Worship Service.
Choir practice, Saturday, 6:30 p. m.
Chapel Aid Society, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m.

Christian Science
Spiritual alertness based on an understanding of Truth brings freedom from evil of every kind. This theme will be set forth at Christian Science church services Sunday.

Bible selection: "Wash you, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; Learn to do well." (Isaiah 1:16, 17).

How Christian Science Heals: WGAN-Radio, 560 kc.
The Light that Transforms Our Lives, Television: Channel 8—The Discovery that Leads to Healing, Channel 5—What Does the Prayer that Heals Demand of Us? Channel 13—The Light that Transforms Our Lives.

Locke Mills Union Church
Church Services, 9:30 a. m. Joseph and Carlene Bradley ministers. Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m. Richard Melville, superintendent. Mrs. Raymond Seames, secretary and treasurer.

Bryant Pond Universalist Church
Sunday Preaching Services at 9 a. m. Rev. Glenn McKee, Pastor.

Organist, Mrs. Addelynn Mann.
Sunday School at 10:15, Mrs. Mann, Supt.

Haydn S. Pearson

COUNTRY FLAVOR

ELECTRIC NEST WARMERS

This nation needs a stirring, humanitarian crusade in which all citizens can enthusiastically unite. Such a crusade will go far to alleviate tensions and ills that currently afflict the social order. Of course, there is nothing fundamentally wrong; so long as all citizens over the nation look alike we have a unifying bond.

But we need a heartwarming crusade and nothing appears more appealing at the moment than a campaign to induce poultrymen to put electric warmers in hen's nests.

Consider the situation dispassionately. A typical hen has plenty of insulation on her back but the undercoating is frequently thin. Come the time in the natural course of events, a hen wishes to lay an egg. She looks at the cold nest and involuntarily shivers. She does what a human being does: she puts off that which she should do.

But if those nests were warm and cozy, a hen would gladly

deposit her contribution. In fact, unless hens are different from human beings, a cheerful, comfortable environment would increase production.

If we form a national association, with state, county and local groups, there is no reason why electric nest warmers cannot become an actuality. We are in favor of outer space motels and landing platforms, but we must not forget our earth-bound food producers. Even if we take weekends on the moon, we may need hard-boiled eggs for our lunch baskets on space trips. It seems to the countryman that electrical nest warmers from fall to spring is both humane and economically sound.

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Special sale up to 30% discount on freezers and a brand new electric blanket FREE with each new freezer in stock. New wringer washer only \$129.50 less 10%, dryer \$183.00 less 15% discount this week, discount all 1960 and 1961 appliances, 1/2 in. drill only \$23.50, 3/4 in. drill regular \$39.95 now \$29.95, 20 in. two speed fan with hood only \$99.00, nail hammers 55c, car and truck batteries \$11.95 plus old battery, carpenter tools, wrenches, drills, tap and die punches, screw drivers, bicycles, kitchen utensils, Sunbeam mixers, electric blankets, toy farm equipment. All priced to save you money at TWITCHELL FARM EQUIPMENT new store, Oxford Plains. Small down payment. 47-49

FOR SALE - Butterscup Squash, Fresh Eggs. STANLEY MOORE, Bridge Street. 441t

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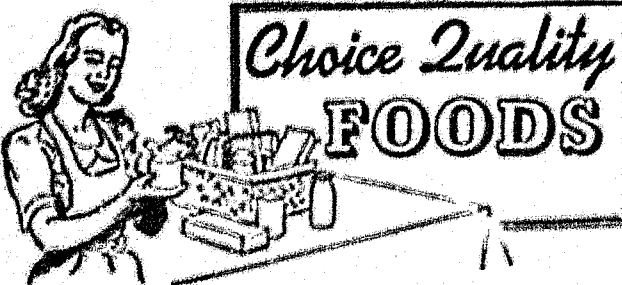
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We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses in our recent bereavement. Our special thanks to Rev. Hamilton, Hanover Dowel Co. and employees, the Greenleaf funeral home, friends and neighbors, and Dr. John Young and Becky for their care and devotion. Mrs. Floyd E. Coolidge
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coolidge and family
Mr. and Mrs. Elton Coolidge and family



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4-H CLUB NEWS

The Spoon and Hoe 4-H Club held its meeting on November 19. There were 12 members present. The vice president and the leaders talked to us about decorating the Thanksgiving baskets which we will do Monday afternoon. Chris Bailey gave a demonstration on the screwdriver and we worked on our projects. We had refreshments and played games. Committees for the next meeting are refreshments, Chris Bailey and Merry York; entertainment, Katrina Lowe, Nancy L. Brown, Reporter.

The Busy Beavers 4-H Club met Nov. 21 at the home of their leader, Mrs. Helen Hillier, Bethel. Our club received material on the basic four food guide. Next week we have to bring menus for two days planned from this food guide.

The first year girls learned how to thread the sewing machine. They are to bring material to start on their needle holders next week. Refreshments were furnished by Maryvonne Rolfe and Vicky Robertson. Rebecca Keniston and Danna Brown have refreshments next week. Club Reporter, Harriet Hillier.

Lucky 4-H Club, East Bethel: Our meeting was called to order by the President, Josie Foster. The meeting was held at the leader's home. All of the 4-H members are to bring a demonstration to the next meeting. Our next meeting will be held at the leader's home at seven o'clock, Nov. 30. Refreshments of kool-aid and cookies were enjoyed by all. Club Reporter, Cynthia Coolidge.

The Bethel Bluebirds 4-H met at their leader's home,

CUB SCOUTS

Den 1 met at the home of their leader. For 25 minutes we played football. We discussed the monthly project "New Worlds" then had the living circle and left. Keeper of the Buckskin, Bill Eames.

Den 3 met Monday and had refreshments brought by David York. Next week Scott Annis will bring refreshments. We had a lot of fun making

Nov. 21. A meeting was led by Club Reporter, Darlene Merrill. The second year girls worked on their luncheon set, while others decorated the basket for our Community Project, which we delivered to DesRoches Nursing Home. Refreshments were served by Darlene Merrill. There will be a meeting next week, Nov. 28. Club Reporter, Darlene Merrill.

space helmets and Thanksgiving favors. At the end of the meeting we had the living circle. Members are: David York, Scott Annis, Mike Heino, Wayne Davis, Doug Farrar, John Thurston, Mike Inman and Pete Kailey. Keeper of the Buckskin, Pete Kailey.

Den 5 met Tuesday at the home of the Den Mother. Refreshments were served. Ricky Young was chosen Keeper of the Buckskin and Phillippe Rolfe, Denner. We made Thanksgiving Turkey favors out of apples. Ricky Young, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Den 6 met at their leader's home Nov. 22. We are a new den of Cub Scouts. We have four boys in our Den, Billy Young, David Hanscom Raymond Buker and Mark Bailey. This month we are making something in space. Keeper of the Buckskin, Mark Bailey.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Virgil Curtis of Fort Ann, N. Y., visited Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bean visited Mrs. Floyd Coolidge in Northwest Bethel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross and children of Jefferson, N. H., were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Dale and Jeffrey, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H., Sunday.

Robert Hastings left Monday for Orono to attend the annual Farm Bureau Conference for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Deane moved to Connecticut Saturday.

Miss Christie Glover and Merle Newton of Rumford were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Burnham.

Mrs. Edith Howe is staying with Mrs. Marjorie Billings in Bethel while Mrs. Billings is convalescing from an operation.

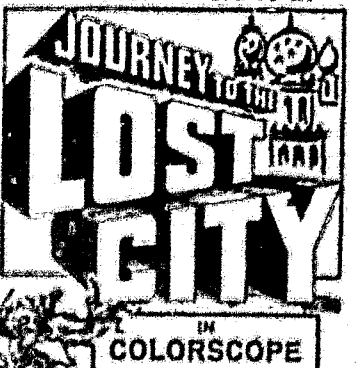
Johnny Howe and Gilda Scribner have the chicken pox. Lucky hunters who tagged deer at Mrs. Maggie Newton's store were Chester Harrington and Pete Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Jr., and children of Northwest Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tyler and family of Dixfield were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Plawlock.

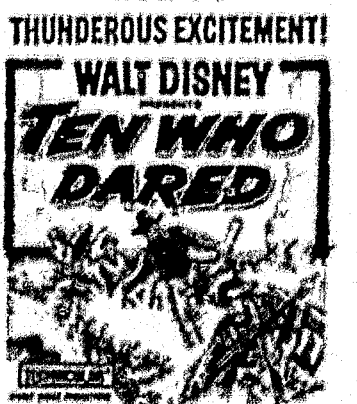
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin, children, Sheryl, Cynthia, Pamela, Wanda and Wally of South Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns and children, Danny and Linda, of Rumford Corner, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster, Saturday. Harry Maxwell, Richard

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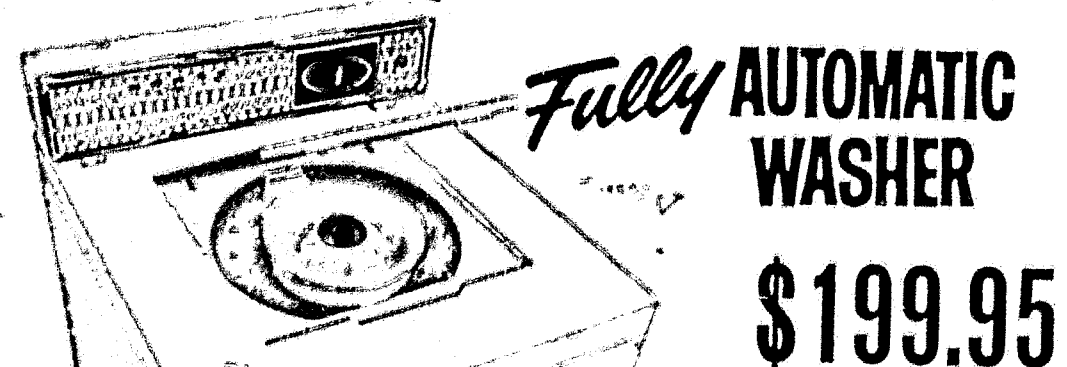
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Mrs. Dwight Martin, Correspondent

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Church in Greenwood Center include: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterhouse of West Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hoos of Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Arnold Eames of Falmouth spent last week end as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Noyes at their home on the Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Calvin Coolidge and daughter, Christine, of Eddington, Pa., arrived Wednesday to spend a week as guests of his mother, Mrs. Anna Coolidge, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coolidge, and family, at their home on the Howe Hill Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hall and Harry Swift will spend Thanksgiving Day as guests of Mr. Swift's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Biden and family in Carthage.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chase will include: Mr. and Mrs. John Chase and daughter, Althea, Miss Arlene Chase of Boston, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gould of East Providence, R. I.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin and daughters, of Greenwood Center include: Mr. and Mrs. A. Calvin Coolidge and daughter of Eddington, Pa., and Mrs. Anna Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway and daughters, Jane and Karen, spent last week end as guests of her mother, Mrs. Mildred Chamberlain, at her home in Brockton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seames and sons, Ricky and Stacie, will spend Thanksgiving as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bacon, at their home on the Knoll.

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of Westbrook will be Thanksgiving guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McElvill and children, Dana and Naney, at their home on the Knoll.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bickford and children, Joanne, Debby, and Billie, are: her father, H. Seymour Frost, and her brother, Wilfred Frost of Monmouth, and his father, Carroll Bickford of Lewiston.

Guests on Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Packard and family are: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Packard and children, Roland, Frank and Gail, and Mr. Plaisted, all of Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richards and daughter, Colleen Ann, of Greenwood Center are spending Thanksgiving Day as guests of her mother, Mrs. Keith Andersen, in Portland.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan and family are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Swan and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister.

The Locke Mills Youth Group will sponsor a Thanksgiving Hop at the Town Hall Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. Ken Dumont from the radio station WRCM in Rumford will be on hand to spin the records. All teenagers are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Bertha Emmons is spending Thanksgiving Day as a guest of her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, 2nd, at their home in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swanson and sons, Bruce and Lee, of Biddeford, arrived Wednesday evening to spend the Thanksgiving week end as guests of her sister, Miss Bertha Kimball at her home on the Knoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy of Paris Hill will be the Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach.

Paul Kimball will arrive home Wednesday from MVTI, South Portland, to spend the Thanksgiving recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford will be Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Guptill and Miss Gladys Barker in Rumford.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mason and family of Jonesboro will arrive to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford.

Miss Nancy Saunders still remains a patient at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin. Cards would be appreciated.

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During the next four weeks is the time for people in Maine to nominate individuals to be considered as Maine's Outstanding Farmers and Homemakers. So reported H. Earle Megquier, of Gray, president of the Maine Extension Association.

By January 1, 1961 each County Extension Association will forward the name of one farmer and one homemaker to be considered by a state committee. The committee will select the four nominees to be honored by the University of Maine at Farm and Home Week next spring.

The plan under which selections are made reads, "Anyone at any time may nominate a person as an Outstanding Farmer or Homemaker." It's important that County Extension offices receive nominations prior to December 15. All 16 County Extension offices have blanks that individuals may use in making nominations. Organized groups should not make nominations.

Anyone who wants further information about the plan may write, phone, or see one of his County Extension agents or he may contact the Maine Extension Association, Winslow Hall, Orono.

The University of Maine first honored Outstanding Farmers and Homemakers in 1929. In all, 69 farmers and 68 homemakers have been honored at Farm and Home Week over the past 31 years.

Last year's recipients of this award were Woodbury L. Berce, of Washburn; Martha L. Campbell, of Warren; Vaughn E. Hurd, of Knox; and Katherine W. Nuite, of South Sangerville.

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The helicopter can move about faster and easier than trucks on the ground. It can maneuver, hover and land in areas that a regular fixed-wing aircraft couldn't approach, and if there is something which requires a closer check of power lines from the ground, the helicopter can land in any small clear area.

Previously CMP has used 13 men on foot to hike along its rights-of-way. Depending on local ground conditions these men have averaged from eight to 10 miles a day on foot. Together they have covered the entire system each month.

The helicopter is being equipped with two-way radio to tie in with Central Maine Power Company's extensive net of base and mobile stations on the ground and also has two-way radio facilities to communicate on civilian air control channels.

Based at Augusta, the helicopter will also be available to CMP in the event of emergency. Its use to locate the cause of an outage could cut hours off the period of interruption—especially in rugged terrain.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Correspondent

Thanksgiving Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head and family will have Miss Alice Barker as a dinner guest on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Newton and family will have as guests LeBaron Card of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert and family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gilbert and family, Mary Abbott and Lona Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lowell and family Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson will join Mr. and Mrs. Edward Casey and Sharon in Portland for the holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean and family will also be guests of the Caseys.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan and family will be dinner guests of Mrs. Myra Jordan at Locke Mills. David Jordan of Connecticut will also be a guest of Mrs. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker and family of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and family and Dorris Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, Mrs. Catherine Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd and family, will be guests Thanksgiving of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson at Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coulombe, Ronald, and Mrs. Martel, will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bussiere at Jefferson, N. H., on the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bennett and family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler, Jr., and daughter, and Lawrence Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock will be guests of Mrs. Amy Bunker at West Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kendall will join a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wheeler and family will be guests of Mrs. Wheeler's brother, Howard Andrews, and family, at South Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy and Lillian will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy

and family, and Clarence Kimball of Bolster's Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler and family will spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacArthur and family will have as guests Mr. and Mrs. William MacArthur Sr. and son, Terry, West Milan, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. William MacArthur, Jr., and family, of Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clough will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and family at Bethel.

Miss Sara Stowell of Waban, Mass., will spend the Thanksgiving recess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Smith will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith and family, Sam Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mills and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morrill will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burris and Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Westleigh.

Mrs. Ruth Grover's family will have a family party on Thanksgiving Day. Attending will be Fred Grover, Hazel Wheeler and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Luxton and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paul and family, Dr. and Mrs. Lorimer Schmidt and family and Mrs. Ruth Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton were in Dixfield Sunday afternoon and attended the dedication of the Nazarene Church.

Mrs. Olive Head took the reading classes at the West Bethel Primary School Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Coolidge. Friday, Mrs. Bertha Mills substituted for the day while Mrs. Coolidge was out of town.

Mrs. Marion Bell of South Paris was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson Saturday evening.

The Hunters' Supper sponsored by the West Bethel Union Church Saturday night at the Grange Hall was well attended.

Harlan and Wayne Bean of Bethel were supper guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Davis of Portland and Roland Brown of South Portland were Sunday visitors at the Davis' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Sheila, Rowena and Roberta, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett, attended a turkey dinner on Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett's, Jefferson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan, Sherwood, Karen and Audrey, spent the week end in Portland, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd, Craig, Mrs. Albert Bennett and Mrs. Catherine Wilson, were in Lewiston, Saturday. They were all supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson at Monmouth, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler, Jr., and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family,



Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bessey

BESSEY - KORHONEN

Miss Norma Korhonen, daughter of Mrs. Wade Robertson, Newry, became the bride of Irving Bessey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Bessey, Rumford Corner, on Nov. 5, at the Newry Community Church.

Rev. Paul Willard officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with white shasta poms. Wedding music was provided by Mrs. Harriett Stowell, organist, and

were visitors Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bennett's.

Mrs. Catherine Wilson who has been visiting in Shelburne, N. H., returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd and Craig were in Woodsville, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Parker of South Portland, Mrs. Norman Hall and Miss Ruth Hall were callers at Lona Gilbert's Saturday.

John Grover from Connecticut was a visitor at Guy Morrill's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock attended a meeting of Alder River Grange at East Bethel, Friday evening.

Mrs. Kenneth Melsner and

Mary Head, vocal soloist.

Given in marriage by her brother, Robert J. Korhonen, the bride wore a floor length gown of white tulle, trimmed with chantilly lace and bouffant veil with pearl-encrusted Dior bow. She carried white colonial carnations and pink sweetheart roses.

The matron of honor, Winona Thurston, sister of the bride, wore a pink ballerina length gown. The bridesmaids: Janet Emery, sister of the

Mrs. Kenneth Feener of Andover visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wheeler were in Springfield, Mass., last week to take their little daughter, Judith, to the Shriner's Hospital for a check up. They were much pleased with the improvement made since she was discharged from the hospital.

Mrs. Luella Andrews has been a recent visitor at the Wheeler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greig of Lewiston were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill's Monday night.

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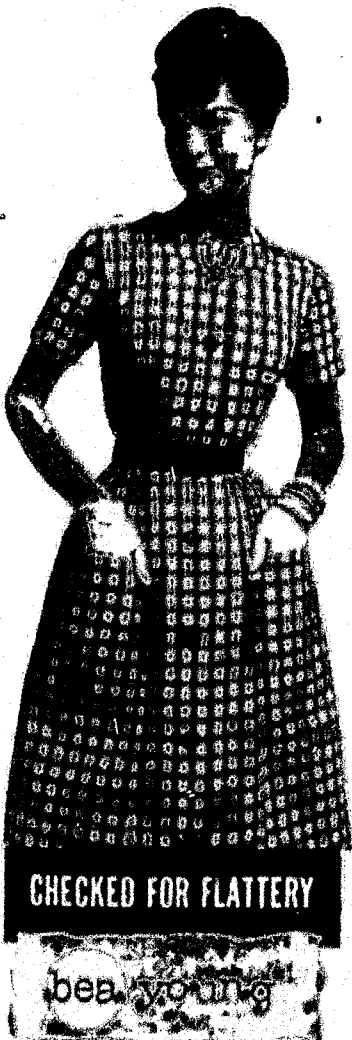
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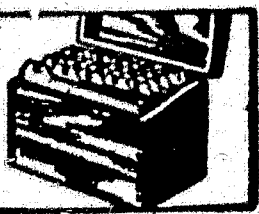


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10 YEARS AGO

Roland H. Cobb of Denmark, retiring State Senator, was nominated Fish and Game Commissioner to succeed George J. Stobie.

Rev. Charles L. Pendleton was chosen to succeed Rev. Kingsley Hawthorne as pastor of the Bethel Congregational Church.

Snowfall, following a day's heavy rain, made roads slippery and caused auto mishaps. Low lands were flooded. Snow plows were out for the first time.

Deaths: Rev. M. A. Gordon, Thaddeus L. Luxton, Winfield Allen.

20 YEARS AGO

The 15 year pastorate of Dr. Wilbur Bull in the United Parish was celebrated at a union service at North Waterford.

Erland Wentzell of Bethel was named student assistant in chemistry at Bates College.

Sidney Dyke flew to Richardson Lake from West Bethel field, landing on Metlak Bar at the Narrows.

Work was underway on a new Bethel-Upton telephone circuit.

Host Gunther was struck in the eye by a belt and Herbert

Brown suffered a fractured toe while working in the Chadbourne mill.

Deaths: A. D. Wight, Charles E. Stevens.

30 YEARS AGO

Harold Nason of Portland was uninjured when the Hodgdon Express truck he was driving overturned on the Locke Mills road.

The body of Ovila Blais was found in a well near Songo Pond.

"Aunt Lucia" was played to crowded houses two nights at Odeon Hall. The cast of local talent was headed by Addison Saunders as Jerry and Aunt Lucia—other stars included Fred Merrill, Henry Boyker, and Hugh Thurston.

Road construction in Gilead included a half mile on the north side of the river, going on the line of the old county road over the hill instead of around by the creek near Fred Wight's. On the south side 3.67 miles was being built, bypassing two railroad crossings. The new location included a cut 40 feet deep and a 30 foot shelf in solid road around the ledge.

A car driven by Arthur Cormier of Rumford failed to make the sharp turn at the bridge in Hanover village, crashed the fence and turned on its side in the mill pond. The driver fled and Chester Cummings helped three lady passengers from the car.

Poles were set for the electric light line from East Bethel to Newry Corner.

Deaths: Otis N. Mason, George Bennett, Carroll Lewis, Almon Tyler, Albert Sanborn, Newton Blake, Mrs. Martha Flint Bennett.

40 YEARS AGO

F. L. Edwards bought the N. R. Springer house on Main Street.

Fred J. Tibbets was renovating and repairing the laundry on Main Street.

F. J. Tyler installed a milking machine in his barn.

S. S. Greenleaf bought the undertaking business and store formerly owned by F. J. Tibbets.

Ralph Young bought the F. L. Edwards house on Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Brink attended National Grange at Boston.

Deaths: Lewis Shaw, Leslie Brown, Mrs. Sarah A. Stowell, Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mrs. Mary Linnell, Ralph W. Kilgore.

50 YEARS AGO

J. A. Heaward sold Cobblestone Farm on Grover Hill to Fred Wheeler.

W. H. Crockett sold his store at Locke Mills to W. H. Rand.

Blake Brothers were threshing grain at East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denison were leaving West Bethel for Auburn, Ind., where the Whitten & Dennison Post Card Co. formerly of West Bethel, was located.

Death: E. S. Smith.

60 YEARS AGO

The early morning train was delayed three hours by heavy snowfall west of Gorham.

Apple buyers were paying \$1 a barrel.

The railroad bridge over Pleasant River at West Bethel was removed and a larger and stronger one put into place in one day.

Miss Sara B. Chapman succeeded Miss Barbara Carter as teacher at Grover Hill school and Miss Maud Thurston was teaching West Bethel Flat school for the winter term.

Miss Alice Billings had a large class in music and painting at Bryant Pond.

Amos Frost bought and moved to the Nahum Frost place in Newry.

Bear River Grange members

EDWIN A. GLINES

Edwin A. Glines died unexpectedly at his home in Norway early Tuesday morning after two week's illness.

Born in Greenwood, April 3, 1879, he was the son of Daniel A. and Matilda Garey Glines. He attended Bethel schools, and had been a resident of Norway for 65 years. He married the former Emma Dunham, Oct. 31, 1903. He was a member of Norway Lodge, IOOF, and had been a foreman in the local shoe factory for many years.

Besides his widow, he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Nellie White, Roxbury; three sons, Robert E., Norway, Donald M. and Merl F., South Paris; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Herrick and Mrs. Dorothy Blake, Bethel; five grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday from the Raymond funeral home, Rev. J. N. Lello of the Second Congregational Church officiating. Burial will be in Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

MRS. MABEL DUNHAM

Mrs. Mabel C. Dunham, widow of Elton L. Dunham, died Thursday afternoon, Nov. 17, at her home in Locke Mills.

Born at Greenwood, July 10, 1879, she was the daughter of Edgar H. and Delilah Emmons Morgan. She was married on Sept. 26, 1896, to Elton L. Dunham, who died March 28, 1953.

She was a life long resident of Greenwood. Mrs. Dunham was a 60 year member of the Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond; a charter member of the Locke Mills Community Club; a member of the Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary, Ladies' Fellowship, the Old Methodist Church, West Paris; and attended the Locke Mills Union Church.

Surviving are three sons, R.

BORN

In Norway, Nov. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Godwin of Bethel, a son, Sherman Oakley.

In North Conway, N. H., Nov. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole, Jr., a son, Kevin Gardiner.

In Lewiston, Nov. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cushman of Lisbon Center, a daughter, Susan Lee.

In Rumford, Nov. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Collins of Bethel, a son, Scott Clyde.

MARRIED

In Hamden, Conn., Nov. 12, by Rev. Buckner Coe, Lt. J. G. Paul C. Fossett, formerly of Bethel, and Miss Suzanne G. Steuck of Guilford, Conn.

DIED

In Auburn, Nov. 19, Allison L. Lowe, of Greene, formerly of Bethel, aged 77 years.

In Norway, Nov. 20, Philip D. Wight, aged 64 years.

In Locke Mills, Nov. 17, Mrs. Mabel C. Dunham, aged 81 years.

In Norway, Nov. 22, Edwin A. Glines, aged 81 years.

were excavating and laying a stone wall, preparing to build a kitchen.

PHILIP D. WIGHT

Philip D. Wight died Sunday at the McKean Nursing Home, Norway, where he had been a patient for five months. He had resided in Norway for about 40 years.

Born in Gilead, Jan. 17, 1896, he was the son of Albert Dana and Celia Wight. He was educated at Gould Academy and was a contractor and builder. He was past master of Oxford Lodge, AF & AM, Norway, and a 32nd degree Mason. He was a life member of Kora Temple Shrine, Lewiston, a past patron of Oxford Chapter, OES, and a past president of the Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club.

He is survived by his widow, the former Ava Andrews; a son, Richard, Indio, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Richard Dubovy, South Portland, and Miss Dawnalyn White, Portland; two grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Edna Corey, Norway.

Funeral services were held from the Huff Funeral Home, South Paris, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 23, at 2 p. m. Rev. J. N. Lello officiating. Interment was in Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

Clyde and Edgar H., both of Locke Mills, Theodore R., of Bethel; four daughters, Mrs. Elsie Hinkley, Bethel, Mrs. Neta Cole, Greenwood Center, Mrs. Gladys Jordan and Mrs. Vera Cross, both of Locke Mills; five brothers, Floyd Morgan, South Paris, Frank, Waterford, Henry, Bryant Pond, Roy, Greenwood City and Willie of Greenwood Center; a sister, Mrs. Cora Bennett of Locke Mills; 27 grandchildren and 88 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Locke Mills Union Church, Rev. Carlene Bradley officiating. Soloist was Mrs. Richard Melville. Interment was in the Hicks cemetery, Greenwood.

Bearers were: Leland Dunham, Roland Dunham, Irving Cole, Everett Cole, Gilbert Dunham and Richard Jordan.

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ALLISON L. LOWE

Allison L. Lowe of Greene died early Saturday at the Grandview Nursing Home in Auburn following a lingering illness.

He was born in Hemford, Nova Scotia, on March 6, 1883, the son of Nathaniel and Cassandra Dorey Lowe.

Educated in the schools of Hemford and Bethel, Mr. Lowe married the former Mary S. Waite who died in Saugus, Mass., in 1942.

He was a cabinet maker by trade until his retirement in 1948 and he moved to Greene from Massachusetts in 1949.

Mr. Lowe is survived by four

sons, L. Raymond of Lexington, Mass., Kenneth of North Adirondack, Mass., Allison L. of Boston, and Bernard N., address unknown; a brother, Clyde W. of Greene; and eleven grandchildren.

Funeral services from the Memorial Chapel of Dillingham & Son, Inc., Monday afternoon. Interment was in the Riverside Cemetery, Bethel.

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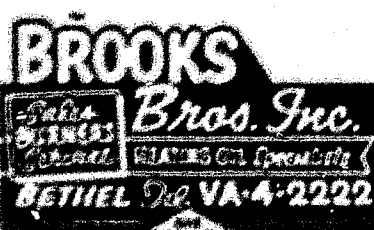
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